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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified patent application,  
please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1 (Amended). Thermosettable adhesive comprising a thermosettable polymer component, a thermoformable polymer component, an effective amount of a heat-activatable [and/or] or photoactivatable curing system or combinations thereof for curing the thermosettable polymer component, and from 0.5-20 wt.% with respect to the mass of the thermosettable adhesive of one or more [hydroxides and/or] compounds selected from hydroxides and Al, Mg and Zr, hydroxyoxides of Al, Mg [and/or] and Zr, or combinations thereof.

2 (Amended). Thermosettable [pressure-sensitive] adhesive according to claim 1, wherein the adhesive is a pressure-sensitive adhesive.

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